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✓ 1. (Unclassified - JEC) LEGISLATION Called Bob Carlstrom, OMB, to comment on DOD's proposed views letter on a number of House bills to amend the Administrative Procedure Act. I told him we agreed with DOD with one minor exception. We would prefer to see DOD's amendment apply to information "protected from unauthorized disclosure by Executive Order or statute" rather than "information which is kept secret pursuant to Executive Order or statute" as DOD's amendment reads. I told Mr. Carlstrom that our language is the manner this is usually put into bills. I also told him that we may possibly be changing our views letter on S. 1720 and S. 1721 in light of DOD's comments on these bills.

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✓ 2. (Unclassified - RLB) LEGISLATION Along with [redacted] OGC, attended as an observer the public hearing on S. 2525, the intelligence charter legislation, conducted by the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence. Mr. McGeorge Bundy was the sole witness. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

3. (Unclassified - MDC) LIAISON Spoke with Susan Scanlan, Assistant Executive Director, Congressional Women's Caucus. Ms. Scanlan advised me that they had received and approved the invitation from the Director. She added that she felt that six of the Members would like to attend a breakfast with the Admiral. The Women's Caucus is currently holding a "fund-raising drive" which will be finished Tuesday, 25 April. On 26 April I and Ms. Scanlan will again discuss when and where (tentatively) it will be held.

4. (Unclassified - MDC) LIAISON Spoke with Rita, Office of the Secretary of Defense, Legislative Affairs, to advise her that three out of a list of 16 Senate staffers which she had provided to this Office had compartmented clearances.

5. (Internal Use Only - GMC) LIAISON Called Don Sanders, Special Counsel, Morgan-Schmitt Senate Select Committee on Ethics Subcommittee, to check with him on changes in the draft Memorandum of Understanding between the DCI and the Subcommittee. Sanders said the changes were acceptable, and I told him that I would forward the Memorandum to the DCI for signature.

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21. (Unclassified - DFM) LIAISON Mark Gitenstein and David Bushong, both of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, met with [] OGC, and discussed the Green Beret murder case. STAT

22. (Unclassified - DFM) ADMINISTRATIVE DELIVERIES Delivered to Susan Mahler, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, a letter transmitting a report on the Intelligence Community for Senator Birch Bayh (D., Ind.), Committee Chairman.

23. (Unclassified - HMS) LIAISON Received a call from Holmes Brown, in the office of Senator Floyd Haskell (D., Colo.), requesting topographical maps of Egypt, Jordan, Syria, Israel and an inclusive map of the Middle East. I told him they would be sent to him.

24. (Unclassified - HMS) EMPLOYMENT REQUEST Received a call from Joe Roman, in the Office of Representative Ronald Mottl (D., Ohio), requesting one clerical and one professional employment application. I told him they would be sent to him. OLC Registry was advised.

25. (Internal Use Only - RJK) LIAISON Called Al Tarabochia, Senate Judiciary Committee staff, to inform him that two individuals he recently inquired about are under the control of the State Department. This had been cleared with State in advance.

Mr. Tarabochia inquired about employment possibilities with the Agency. After checking with [] OP, I advised Mr. Tarabochia to submit a resume. STAT

✓ 26. (Unclassified - ELS) LIAISON Dan Childs, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, called to say Commander McMahon had called to arrange meetings between the Director and Chairman Birch Bayh (D., Ind.) and Senator William D. Hathaway, Chairman of the Subcommittee on Budget Authorization. Childs understood the topic was the Intelligence Community Staff reorganization, and he wondered what was happening. I told him that the budget amendment was moving toward Presidential approval and I assumed that the Director wished to talk about moving quickly on the 1978 reprogramming as soon as the budget amendment was approved.

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